

Then and Now... Celebrating 35 Years of Creativity!

Take a Step Back in Time and See the Transformation of Delphi!

Then

Delphi founder Dan Daniels had a vision to make the glass arts accessible to everyone. He started teaching glass in Michigan but couldn't find supplies for his students. From that need and Dan's vision Delphi was created.



Now

35 years later, we are just as committed to that vision. Through our catalogs, DelphiGlass.com and the Delphi Creativity Center, rewarding crafts including glass art, mosaics and jewelry are made accessible to everyone. Delphi has helped thousands of people discover a new art, and many have gone on to become professional artists.



Then

Dan started Delphi in 1972, selling supplies out of his garage. As word spread, people drove from all over the US and Canada to his home.



Now

Today Delphi is one of the world's largest art glass suppliers, housed in a 30,000 square foot facility filled with classrooms, a glass showroom and a distribution center. We are expanding by over 50% in 2007 to offer even more classes and supplies.



Then

The first Delphi Center supplied the popular crafts of the seventies, including weaving, macrame and glass. Dan drove his car to glass makers around the country, hand-selecting glass.



Now

Customers can choose from over 1,200 types of glass. Delphi continues to expand its creative craft supplies beyond glass art into new crafts: jewelry making, sandblasting, glass painting, metal embossing and resin casting.



Delphi is Recognized

Through the years we have won awards in both the art and business communities, and we were recognized as one of the top 100 fastest growing small businesses in the eighties. Dan has served as a member of the Board for the Art Glass Association. Delphi supports the arts by hosting events for the community, like the Annual Art Glass Festival and by donating supplies through our Arts in Education program.



Today

What started with one glass artist in his garage has grown into a team of over 60 Creativity Associates. Many have been with Delphi for over 5, 10, and 15 years. Some even over 20! All share Dan's vision and love for the creative arts and are here to make your project a success.



We Thank Our Customers for 35 Years of Fun and Creativity!



Delphi's Arts In Education program has provided glass and supplies for students from Elementary to College. To support art in our schools, Delphi returns a percentage of our profits each year to benefit art education programs. Through teacher and student instructional support, donations and project assistance, we are all giving students the chance to be creative. Thank you for helping Delphi share the gift of creativity.

Giving doesn't stop with education. This year Delphi was proud to support renowned mosaic artist Tom Snyder's work on the Extreme Makeover Home Edition television show. Using materials donated by Delphi, Tom created an incredible mosaic mural for a deserving family's home. Delphi also donated supplies to the Eastside Floodplain Project, who created stepping stones for a community garden.

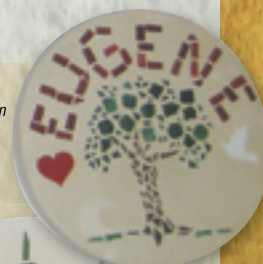


"Using the products donated by Delphi we were able to create beautiful stepping stones to accompany an educational floodplain garden"

- Jennifer Hoffman,
Allen Neighborhood Center,
Lansing, MI

Stained glass windows created by Nancy Ray and her students at Poplar Springs Elementary School, Meridian, MS. Way to go!!!

Stepping Stones for the Eastside Floodplain Garden



Artist Tom Snyder using supplies donated by Delphi to share his talents on the Extreme Makeover Home Edition TV show

